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Application No.: 10/763,231) : Group Art Unit: 2852
Filed: January 26, 2004)
For: MULTI-BEAM SCANNING)
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REQUEST FOR CORRECTED FILING RECEIPT

Sir:

Attached is a Supplemental Declaration which corrects a typographical error in the Application Number of the Japanese priority document from which the subject U.S. application claims priority. Specifically, the correct priority data should read

Japan 2003-024138, filed January 31, 2003.

Correction of the Official Filing Receipt, which contains the same typographical error, is also respectfully requested. A copy of the Official Filing Receipt, with the correction noted thereon is attached. Also attached is an updated Application Data Sheet (ADS) listing the correct information. Correction is respectfully requested

Applicant's undersigned attorney may be reached in our Costa Mesa, California office at (714) 540-8700. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our below-listed address.

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Japan	2003-024138 (Pat.)	31/January/2003	Yes

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